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TRI-STATE NEWS.

Condensed Special Disputches From Sur-

Last evening a boiler in the Lake Erie and

Western shops at Lima exploded, killing Peter Schick, and demolishing a part of the build-

JOHN R. CALVIN. a farmer residing in Green

THE contract for the new jail building and

Sheriff's residence for Fayette county was

yesterday awarded to Laughead, Modisette & Co., of Uniontown, at \$106,000.

THE election of Edward Barrett as Burgess

of Pittston is to be contested on the ground that the election board of one district quarreled and a new board had to be substituted.

IT seems that the Mrs. Meals who has eloped

former home in Greensburg, a living witness to the falsity of the report. Mr. Walker will at

once commence proceedings against the persons who circulated the slander. He first learned

that he was to be executed on the gallows about the first of this month, while in Arizona, and at once closed up his business and came home, arriving here on Monday.

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tary to Pittsburg.

## KING COTTON

May be Unseated From His Monopolistic Throne.

THE FINER RAMIE PLANT

Taken in Hands by Pittsburg Capitalists, Who Propose to

CHECK CHINESE COMPETITION.

Long Sought Machinery Found, and the

Tremendous Venture

FINALLY LAUNCHED IN THIS CITY

Preparations are at the present being perfected looking to the establishment of an industry in this country which promises to soon become second to none in the textile fiber culture, except that of cotton culture. Many will recollect that a couple of years ago, the question of the culture and manufacture of the ramie plant was discussed at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce. and that a number of well known citizens, prominently identified with trade and manufacture, became interested. The matter was talked of for some time, but finally died out, as it seemed, and nothing more was heard of it except that the people men-

tioned had formed a company. That project has taken definite shape, and under a charter obtained in West Virginia, the incorporators, Messrs. Wm. M. Lvon, Paul H. Hacke, President; Charles H. Humbert, Vice President; George R. Shidle, Secretary, and John M. Tiernan, Treasurer, propose to go to work as fast as circumstances will permit and get the business started as soon as practicable.

They have secured land in Georgia for the cultivation of the ramie plant, and have secured the patent for the manufacture of the necessary machinery in the United States and Mexico.

THE SOLUTION REACHED.

There has been no trouble in regard to the successful cultivation of the plant, but to get a machine that would separate the fiber has been, until lately, a seeming impossibility.

The patents they own have been tested successfully in England and France, and all that is needed now is the raw product and the buildings necessary for work, and it is the intention to establish factories in various parts of this country as soon as a supply of raw material can be grown. The charter has recently been obtained by Frank W. Smith, Esq., attorney for the incorpora-

The machine that separates the fiber is called a dicorticator, but behind the name are a halt million dollars, which form the power that set it in motion.

is considered what the Whitney cotton gin did toward making that staple king in the commercial world, for cotton is still king, and were the United States crop to be a fail-ure for two years in succession, several the territory. They have moved a great many of their largest tanks from the Brad-ford district to the Lima field. They are bankruptcies would follow among civilized | prepared to store all the oil until it can be nations, and the Chinese would get the | piped to Chicago, where it is used as fuel. bulge on them.

WHAT THE GIN DID FOR COTTON. Before Whitney invented his gin a colored woman could only clean a pound of seed cotton a day. By the use of the gin and a small amount of either steam or animal power 3,200 pounds a day can be cleaned. one machine doing the work o: 3,200 women, representin; a capital of \$3,200,000.

The die vicator may be hard on the Chi-

nese, but they "must go" anyhow, and they can't be much injured in consequence. Here is what is said of the competitor of Sea Island cotton, the finest produced in this country: The name "ramie" is an East Indian one,

and the plant produces the fiber called China grass. Its botanical name is Bochmeria nicea, and it grows both under cultivation and wild in nearly all tropical countries and Eastern Asia. It is a nettle, but has no stings. It is a perennial, somewhat shrubby, grows four feet high, throwing up numerous stems as thick as the little finger, which bear opposite, pointed, serrated leaves six inches long by four inches broad, on hairy petioles; their upper surface is dark but underneath they are covered with a very white down, suggesting the specific name, nicea, snowy, which makes the contrast between the two surfaces very

From time immemorial the plant has been used in China and other Eastern countries in the manufacture of a great variety of fabrics, some as fine and brilliant as silk. The woven material has been an article of nmerce for centuries, and in France and England has long been used as a substitute or to mix with silk.

In warm countries three crops of stems are obtained in a year, the second affording the finest fiber. It may be raised from seed, but the general method is to divide the old plants and plant very thickly in rows five feet apart. They must be planted thickly in order to secure straight stems The soil must be rich and well drained, and the plant will not stand hard trosts.

HOW AH SIN DOES IT.

In northern China the roots are lifted in the fall and kept in pits during the winter. The plant was introduced into Jamaica in 1854, and the next year was put into the botanic garden at Washington, but no determined attempt was made to cultivate it until 1867. Then the Southern planters-having trouble with their hired help, which having newly gotten its freedom, lost its head for a time, and was unstable-under took the cultivation of ramie.

Plants were brought from Mexico, where it had been previously introduced, and the planters who raised plants for sale, made it profitable for a time, but when the manufacturing stage arrived, it was found im-possible, or at least so considered, to separate the fiber by machinery and American hand labor, even at the low rate of Southern agricultural wages, could not compete with Oriental, and the industry was "ruined by Chinese cheap labor." Various machines were invented and tried, but to no purpose, and the business fell stillborn, except that the plant propagators had made money, as did the importers of Chinese chickens about

35 years ago.
As in the latitude of Georgia three crops of stems a year can be harvested, the manu-facture can be put in full blast about as soon as the buildings and machinery can be put up, and the United States can have a nopoly, as it has in cotton, until the Southern hemisphere is settled and developed, for the cotton belt, which is also the ramie belt, running around the northern half of the globe, is more extensive in the United States than in the corresponding part of the Eastern hemisphere. The cui ture of ramie is less expensive than that of the cotton plant, and only the cost of separating the fiber has hitherto stood in the way of its development.

Deputy United States Marshal McDonald arrested Robert Armstead on Wylie avenue last night for passing a counterfest 50-cent piece on B. K. O'Dwyer. Armstead is sup-posed to be connected with the Butler county gang. He made a desperate resist-ance, and broke the officer's thumb. NO WONDER THEY KICK.

Honest Freight Shippers Object to Shoulder ing the Sins of Others-Lower Classifica-

The Pittsburg Committee of Freight Agents held another meeting yesterday morning to consider the petition of the glass manufacturers of this city for a reduction in the classification of bottles and other articles of glassware. After wrangling with the question all morning they adjourned withat doing anything definite.

Nearly all of the agents are disposed to reduce the classification and would recomnend the reduction if they could see any way to protect themselves from the prac-tices of dishonest shippers. A great many of those formerly shipping table ware made the shipping orders read "bottles," which took a lower class. The practice became so universal and the railroad companies lost so much money that in order to save themselves they took bottles out of the fifth class and made them fourth. In less than car loads they advanced them; from third to second class.

The shippers who did not misrepresent their goods naturally objected to paying a higher rate because their competitors were dishonest, and filed a petition to that effect.

If the change is made it would necessitate a universal change all over the country.

IT WILL RAISE A HOWL.

Kissing Said to be Going Out of Fashio

Because of Those Hadings. Men have often remarked on the fertility of a woman's mind. Physiologists declare she never reasons, but as an instinctive creature she often reaches a correct conclusion much quicker than a man. If they lack the intricate process of tatioscination they have the happy faculty of walking straight through mental difficulties like a

somnambulist in sleep.

The fellows who discuss is "Marriage a Failure?" or "Why I Am a Batchelor?" have wondered lately how women reach their cute noses with a handkerchiet since the advent of the new tangled veil. It covers the greater part of the face, and is as ornamental possibly as protective.

Two women veiled alike met yesterday. It was evident they hadn't seen each other for some time, and they rushed together in a warm embrace. The inevitable kiss came next. Both essayed the attempt, but the veils rendered this impossible. Quick as a flash one of the ladies turned the side of her face to her companion, and the latter smacked a spot on her cheek somewhere below the car. This was satisfactory, and then followed the usual storm of quick

womanly ejaculations.
"Is kissing on the lips no longer fashionable?" queried a reporter of a lady he met

after this event. after this event.

"No, not since the introduction of the new veil," she answered sweetly. "You see the lips are completely covered, and it has become the fashion to press the lips against the cheek. This thing of kissing is a nuisance anyhow, and I wish the ladies would all stop it."

ANOTHER LARGE PURCHASE.

The Standard Oil Company New Owns Near-

ly All the Lima Territory. The Standard Oil Company made another important purchase of oil land Wednesday, and the deal was consummated yesterday. They are now in the exclusive possession of all the Lima territory.

For some time past they have been quietly buying up everything they could get their hands on in the Lima field. On Wednesday An idea of what machinery is capable of doing in this line may be obtained when it by Joshua Rhodes and Captain J. J. Vandegrift, of this city. The sum paid for the land was about \$175,000. The Standard Company now owns about 40,000 acres in

HOW MUCH HE WILL LOSE.

Mr. Guckenbeimer Calls Down Dr. Thompson, the Probibitionist.

Dr. Thompson, of Freeport, stated at the Harrisburg Convention of Prohibitionists that Mr. Guckenheimer would convert his distilleries into tanneries if prohibition became a law.

Mr. Guckenheimer denied that he ever made such a statement. He said his plant was large enough to make a dozen tanneries, but it could not be utilized for such a pur-Besides, he had been making whisky for 25 years, and he is too old now to learn a new trade. He has spent \$500,000 in erecting and improving his plant, 80 per cent of which will be a total loss, he claimed, if prohibition became a law.

WHO WILL HAVE THE HONOR? Some Lively Bidding Expected for That

Famous Silver Brick. That noted silver brick, estimated as be ing worth nearly \$50, but which has received several hundred dollars' worth of newspaper advertising in a good cause, will be sold Monday, at 2:30, in the Chamber of Com-merce rooms. It is on exhibition in Durbin's window, on Fifth avenue.

It will probably find its ultimate use as a paper weight for a lawyer, or perhaps hold open the hospitable door of some local mil-

VISITING STUDENTS.

Those From Cornell University Will Come to

Pittsburg Shortly. The mechanical and electrical engineering students of the Cornell University will shortly visit Pittsburg to make an inspection of the Pittsburg industries generally and the Westinghouse Electric Works in

The entire corps of students will be under the personal supervision of Dr. R. H. The students will make a study of the newly invented electric railway at the Westinghouse works.

RUN OVER BY THE TRACTION.

A Young Boy May Lose a Leg By an Unwary Jump.

A boy about 10 years years of age, named Grenard, the adopted son of Mr. Louis Miller, of Ligonier street, Lawrenceville, had his right thigh crushed yesterday about 5

He was trying to jump on a traction car, near Thirty-sixth street. Dr. Clark stated that amputation may be necessary.

HORSES IN DEMAND.

Southside Liverymen Can't Supply Enough for the Parade.

To judge from the demand for horses on the Southside to-day's parade will be a large one. Every liveryman seen last night reported all horses engaged and a demand

As high as \$9 00 is asked for a horse for the day, and some of the liverymen were offering \$1 00 last night for the use of a saddle.

Too Slick for a Dector.

A fellow representing himself as a member of the firm of Arbuckle & Co. went into Dr. Hanna's office yesterday. He managed to capture a new pair of gloves and a re-volver, when he said he would call-again. W. H. Adamson was arrested last night on

Presented With a Saber. The Hibernian Rifles presented Major Coyne last night with a fine saber and belt. Adjutant Cornelius Horgan made the presentation speech and Major Coyne responded. He will wear the sword for the first time in the parade to-day. DIGGERS IN DISTRESS.

Miners Compelled to Work at Low Wages on the Punch Out System.

ONLY 50 CENTS CASH IN A YEAR. A Leading Knight's Interesting Talk on the Child Labor Question.

SECRETARY DILLON IS A BENEDICT

Several West Virginia coal miners passed through the city vesterday on their way to the Eastern coal-fields, where they will try to secure employment.

They are disgusted with the condition of affairs in the State they have just left, and one of them told how the diggers in some sections were being imposed upon by the operators.

"The region I left," said he, "is one of the worst in the State. The men seldom receive any money, taking their pay in 'punchouts,' that is, tickets calling for a certain amount at the company stores.

"These tickets are only good at the stores owned by their employer. If a man buys 10 cents worth of bread, that amount is punched out of his tickets. The other merchants will accept the tickets at a reduction of 25 per cent. The only money the men received while I was working there was 50 cents last Christmas, which the employers called Christmas money."

A Pittsburg labor leader who is well acquainted with the affairs in that region, corroborated the miner's statement. He said the miners down there are very hard class to organize, and this is the only way to ameliorate their condition. State President Moran, of the Miners National Progressive Union, is doing good work in that section. When the men are thoroughly organized they will take steps toward abolishing the punch out" system.

This will greatly benefit the river miners in this section, as the West Virginia miners are their strongest competitors in the South-

THE CHILD LABOR BILL.

Pittsburg Workers Condemn the Action of Ohio Glass Workers.

The defeat of the child labor bill in the Ohio Legislature has caused much adverse comment among labor leaders here. Mr. John Ehman, of the Ohio Valley Budget, in speaking of the measure yesterday, said:

"I attribute the defeat of the bill to the combined opposition of manufacturers and glass workers. I am surprised at the stand taken by the workers against the measure, They claim, however, that if it was passed Ohio manufacturers would be unable to compete with manufacturers outside of the State, and they would be compelled to seek employment elsewhere.

"The statement that boys are taken from orphan asylums and are earning \$1 60 a day is incorrect. I have visited the factories at Findlay and Fostoria, and know that boys only receive their board and clothes the first six months, and after having served

that time receive \$1 a week extra.
"In order to prevent the employment of boys and children in glass factories. I would suggest a tax similar to the one imposed on oreigners who obtain employment in Amercan factories. At the last convention of the American Flints, it was decided to impose a tax of \$100 on every foreigner who obtains employment here. Part of this money goes into the local and part into the national treasury.

SECRETARY DILLON MARRIED.

The Geniul Official of the American Flints Becomes a Benedict.

National Secretary Dillon, of the American Flint Glass Workers' Union, does not only observe secreey regarding the affairs of his organization, but also his private afto prevent publicity, one of his private secrets got out yesterday.

Mr. Dillon was married last Tuesday evening to Miss May Woolgar, at the residence of the bride's mother on Fifth avenue. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. Locke. The young couple left the same evening on a wedding trip embracing all

the principal Eastern cicies. When President Smith was asked about the wedding, he smiled and said he knew nothing about it. "Dillon has not been heresince Tuesday," said he, and added, ironically, "when he returns he will undoubtedly be expelled from the organization for getting married without permission."

OPPOSING THE TARIFF BILL.

Importers of Tin Plate are Getting Up a Strong Petition.

Mr. W. C. Cronnemeyer, President of the United States Tin Plate Company, whose works are at Demmler station, returned yesterday from an extended business trip through the West. He reports trade in the | ticket he must be dropped. A DISPATCH sheet iron trade fair, but not as good as he

In speaking of the Senate tariff bill he said: "The importers of tin plate are getting up a petition protesting against the portion of the bill that puts a duty on tin

"The sheet iron manufacturers are fighting for the passage of the bill on account of this clause particularly as it will revive the industry in this country. I intend to meet John Jarrett and others interested in tin plate at an early date, and we will endeavor to get up a petition that will counteract the effect of the one now being signed by the importers."

RE-ENTERING THE FOLD.

A Number of Suspended Knights of Labor Decide to Return.

The first of the series of meetings arranged by John Flannery and Master Workman Jenkins, of sub-Division 5, N. T. A., 135, K. of L., composed of miners, was held at

Fully 400 miners were present, many of not shut down for the parade to-day, but whom had dropped out of the Knights dur- the Catholic societies will send a large deleing the year, and the two locals in that seetion scarcely had enough members to resist any unjust demands of the operators. Mr. Flannery spoke for an hour and a half on the benefits of organization, and advised the men to return to the fold. Mr. Jenkius also delivered an address, when a ciding to return to the order and square up resolution was nuanimously adopted dethe music.

ack dues. Mr. Jenkins believes the order will boom along the river and in a short time be as strong, if not stronger, than ever. The next meeting will be held at Camden to-

A VERY LOW STOCK.

Isanc Cline's Weekly Report of the Condition of the Glass Trade.

Mr. Isaac Cline, in speaking of the win dow glass trade yesterday said: "There are 1,125 pots in operation this with an American flag. week, and 164 are idle. This is 18 more than last week, which is due to the closing of the Bellaire Window Glass Factory. Their works were closed on account of the lack of cheap fuel. Some of the men employed there have gone to Marion, Ind.
"I have received reports from a numbe of factories which show that the stock of class is smaller than at this time a year ago. Trade is good and prices are fair.

Official reports received at the office of the Budget, the organ of the American Flints, show that the flint glass trade is in excel-

lent condition. The only sign of dullness is in the shade department. Almost all the factories in the country are in operation.

HIS SILVER WEDDING.

Another Washington Celebration but on r Smaller Scale. Major J. B. Washington, of this city, the only relation in Pittsburg of George Washington, the original father of his country, will celebrate his silver wedding at his home at Miller's Grove on the line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, to-morrow. There will be no formal celebration, only the family of the "Major" being present.
Major Washington was married in Montgomery, Ala., February 23, 1864 and tomorrow will be his twenty-fifth annivering President-elect Harrison was placed in

RAILROAD OFFICES TO CLOSE.

Local Freights Will be Discontinued and Business Suspended. All the railroad offices and depots in the

two cities will be closed all day to-day. The ccasion will be made more of a holiday than ever before by the railroad companies. Yesterday the Penusylvania Company issued orders to discontinue the running of all local freights and every employe they can spare will be allowed a day off.

BANKERS' EXPERIENCES. How a Philadelphia Bank Was Saved From

Bankruptcy-A Very Useful Alleyway-Faith Goes a Long Way.

A party of bankers met in the lobby of the Monongahela House the other day, and the topic of conversation gradually drifted to the runs often made on banks during shaky and panicky times. The following story was elicited:

"I remember," said a veteran cashier, "some rears ago I was employed in a bank in Philadelphia. It is not necessary to name the insti-tution. Just back of us in the same block, but facing the other street, was another financial house, and through a small passageway we could pass back and forth between the two

'There came a time when the bank was unfortunate in some of its transactions and lost heavily. A run was started, and we pre-pared to make the best of it. We hoped to soon pacify the people by showing a willingness to hand over the cash as fast as they called for it. As soon as a demand was made it was promptly paid, but still the depositors came and it began to look blue for us. "Our supply was nearly exhausted when the other bank came to the rescue. We carted other bank came to the rescue, we carried through that narrow alley piles of gold from their vaults, and was careful to place it where our depositors could see it. It acted like a charm. When the panic-stricken people saw the profuse piles of gold lying on the counters we couldn't induce the majority of them to remove their deposits. They were perfectly satisfied.

"By a strange fate that very afternoon there was a run made on the other bank, and we carted the money back. The people never knew the difference, but if they had both banks knew the difference, but if they had both banks would have been ruined. The sight of the money restored confidence, and gave us a breathing spell. In time we were able to pull through and retrieve our losses. If the depositors had only known how we trembled on the ragged edge of bankruptcy, in their fright, they would have pushed us over and fallen with us."

"Do banks often have such narrow escapes?" was asked.

"Yes, often," was the reply, "but it does not happen frequently that the institutions are so advantageously situated as to help each other. In this age there is so much business done on paper. The funds are not exchanged at all, and very often there is not enough actual cash in the vaults of a bank to pay half the depositors. If a run was made under such crounters. tors. If a run was made under such circum-stances a bank would be forced by circumstances to stop payment,
"The element of faith enters largely into all The element of latin enters largely into all business transactions, and this is what saves bankers. To be compelled to suspend payment detracts from the reputation of business men. When the public loses its trust in a bank the doors might as well be closed, for no business can be done."

The other bankers had similar experiences to relate. They all had passed through thrilling financial events at some time or other during life, when nothing but audacity and a little courage saved them from "Barney" Bannon, one of the

going down with a crash. ALLEGHENY'S ELECTION MIX.

fairs. Notwithstanding the great care taken Opinions on Election Laws-Chairman Hun-

ter Cannot be Unseated. The Allegheny political mix is not vet settled, and may not be for several weeks. and probably not until the time for the newly elected Councilmen to take their seats on April 1. Yesterday the judges were busy figuring on the returns, but the official count will not be ready for a day or two. Several mistakes were made in the count of Wednesday. John P. Milby and Charles V. Lewis, who were named as win-ners, are both defeated. The former will loose by four votes and a contest is expected here. There is a close vote for fourth place on the ticket. Pitcairn claims 267 votes, Watson 248 and Milby 245. A mistake of 20 votes was made in the Fourth district,

which cuts Pitcairn's vote down to 247 and elects Watson Several of the persons who opposed Mr. James Hunter in the Second ward are making strenuous efforts to prevent him from taking a seat. They claim that the Second ward is only entitled to eight Councilmen, and as Mr. Hunter was the ninth on the reporter saw a number of authorities election laws, and all agree that this is a mistaken idea. The Mayor issued a proclamation ordering the election of nine men to represent the ward in Common Council. If the ward is not entitled to that number the votes cast can h gone over again, and all tickets nine names thrown away. As the 571 smoothbore tickets cast did not contain Mr. Hunter's name, and Mr. McKirdy was the next lowest man on the regular will be dropped instead of Mr. Hunter. Another way out of the difficulty is to order

a new election, but this will not likely be One politician said if it was necessary to drop the low man if the ward is only entitled to eight Common Councilmen, the dropping should be done at the primary, where the regular ticket was made. This

would leave Mr. Buente out in the cold.

COMING FROM BRADDOCK. Lodges and Societies to Enter the Big Parndes To-Day.

The Edgar Thomson, at Braddock, will

cation anyhow. The Hibernian Rifles, the Board of Erin, Knights of St. George and he Pioneer Club will be here.

Both lodges of the American Mechanics and together they fled from the city. Cary's wife is the daughter of President J. W. the Pioneer Club will be here. and the McKeesport and Port Perry Coun-The Grand Army drum corps will furnish

An Immense Parade. The Junior Mechanics figure that 10 253 nembers of the order will turn out to-day. About 1,200 of the Senior order can be added to this number. After mass this morning Father Bernard's congregation will form in the parade.

To Receive a Fing. The St. Augustin Young Men's Literary Association, will present the St. Augustin Catholic School on Thirty-seventh street McKeesport in Line.

day. Carpenters from Homestead and Braddock will be present. THE LICENSE LIST in full will be published in the SATURDAY ISSUE of THE DISPATCH.

A parade will be held at McKeesport to-

Kid Gloves-Soc a Pair-\$1 25 Qualley. Browns, Tans, Gravs-4-Battons, Em-roidered-a special lot this and a great Jos. HORNE & Co.'s, Penn Avenue Stores.

yard.

THE HARRISON TRAIN

Extra Precautions to be Taken to Guard Against Accidents.

ENGINEER BANNON WILL HAUL IT. | ous piece of ice. The Schedule for Stations East of Denni-

son Already Made.

WILL ARRIVE HERE AT 3 A. M. TUESDAY

The schedule of the special train carry-

the hands of the printer yesterday, and copies of it will be distributed all over the road to the employes to-day and to-morrow. The officials of the Pennsylvania Comsany who had the matter in charge refused o say anything about it yesterday, but notwithstanding the attempt to keep the matter quiet THE DISPATCH was enabled to get a copy of the schedule, which is published below. The exact time the train will leave Indianapolis, Columbus and Dennison is given. By looking at the table the readers of THE DISPATCH along the Pan-handle road can tell to the minute what time the Presidental train will pass their station. The train will run as second section of No. 20, which arrives in this city at 2:50

No. 20, which arrives in this city at 2:50 | sink from beneath him and then arise o'clock, Pittsburg time. It was intended to again. Oh! the suddenness and hardness of run the Presidental train as close as possithat meeting. His hat parted from him; also his glasses and his cane. A look of ble behind the first section. This would make the special arrive in this city at 3 o'clock, but it will not get here until 3:15.

Twenty-five minutes will be allowed be. o'clock, but it will not get here until 3:15. Twenty-five minutes will be allowed bebreaks forth into a merry laugh, and with an arch "Be careful, or you will fall," sud-denly disappears into the doorway of a tween the first and second sections in order to provide against any possible errors or down-town store, leaving him standing dazed chances of collision.

The train will leave Indianapolis at 3:20 Monday afternoon, and will have on board the President-elect and his family. They will arrive at Columbus at 8:25, and leave there 10 minutes later.

WHEN THEY MAY BE SEEN EN ROUTE. Leave Dennison, 11:30; Philadelphia Roads, 11:37; Bowerston, 11:44; Connoton, 11:48; Scio, 11:53; Jewett, 12 M.; Cadiz June tion, 12:08; Miller, 12:11; Unionport, 12:15; Bloomfield, 12:19; Skelleys, 12:21; Fernwood, 12:28; Gould, 12:36; Mingo Junction, 12:40. Arrive Steubenville, 12:46; leave Steubenville, 12:49; Franklin avenue, 12:51; Wheeling Junction, 12:53; New Cumberland Junction, 12:56; Colliers, 1:02; Harlins, 1:08; Dinsmore, 1:12; Burgettstown, 1:17; Bulger, 1:25; Midway, 1:28; McDonald, 1:33; Willow Grove, 1:36; Oakdale, 1:40; Hays, 1:45; Walker's Mills, 1:48; Mausfield, 1:53; North Mansfield, 1:54; Idlewood 1:56; Crafton, 1:57; Ingram, 1:59; Sheridan 2:02; Nimick, 2:03; Temperanceville, 2:06; Point Bridge, 2:08; Birmingham, 2:10; Fourth avenue, 2:13: Union station, 2:15. The statement that the President-elecould travel in the special car of President Roberts, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, would not be verified by the Pennsylvania

Company officials. In regard to the train, General Superintendent of Transportation Joseph Wood said yesterday: AT HIS OWN SWEET WILL. "We have left the whole matter in the hands of President Harrison, and, as he wants to make a quiet trip, we are going to give it to him. He does not want to be met by crowds of people, and for that reason we will not make public the arriving time of the train. We expect THE DISPATCH will get hold of it, anyway, but if they do, it will not be through this office. I cannot say whether the original plans will be changed or not in case the matter becomes

public. "We have arranged our schedule, but like all other train schedules it is subject to change at any moment. When we have our arrangements fully made we will give it to "Barney" Bannon, one of the best passen-ger engineers on the Panhandle, will bring

the train in from Dennison. The engine that will haul the train will probably be No. 58, a heavy class locomotive and one of the best on the Panhandle road. There will be no effort made at fast time, owing to the great liability of accident. John Obey will be the fireman. As stated above, every precaution will be

taken by the company to guard against acci-dent. One of the officials said yesterday that they would not have the train meet THE SLIGHTEST MISHAP FOR \$100,000. To-morrow notices will be sent to the supervisors and section foremen to have their track walkers be doubly vigilant in their patrol. One man will be stationed at kill Edward Shriver, his brother-in-law, at every mile of track between Pittsburg and Dennison. His duty will be to examine the track and see that everything is all right until the train passes. In addition to this, the watchmen will be given strict orders to see that their switches are set right, great excitement in that town he was caught by an officer, handcuffed and taken to the depot. Just as the train steamed into the st tion Keck threw himself on the track. Se and the wrecking crews at all points along the line will be on duty to pick up anything that may blockade the tracks prior to the passage of the Presidental train. The The wreck trains at Mansfield, Steubenville and Bowerston will be held in readiness to go to any part of the road at a moment's notice.

The Burgettstown engine will also be ready to go out on that section.

The Pennsylvania Railroad have made no arrangements yet for the passage of the train over their road. It will probably

leave after changing engines, about 3:25, and will arrive in Altoona about 7:15.

A SENSATIONAL ELOPEMENT. Two Well-Known Cleveland Parties Desert

Thein Lawful Partners. CLEVELAND, February 21 .- A guilty husband and a faithless wife, both well known and until now highly thought of in this city, are fugitives somewhere in the West, trying to ontrun their consciences and stiff all thought of the two blasted homes they left behind them. Saturday night Rollin C. Cary, the advertising agent of the cake Shore and Michigan Railroad in this city, and the wife of T. J. Meals, the Assistant State Labor Statistican and manager of the Industrial News, left Cleveland together, and they have not been seen or

heard of since, though it is supposed that their route lay westward.

Cary is the son of General Passenger Agent Cary, of the Lake Shore Railroad, who died some time ago. Last Saturday he sent his resignation to the General Passenger Agent of the milesul Ma. A. J. Seith ger Agent of the railroad, Mr. A. J. Smith, and drew about \$1,100 from his personal deposits in the two Cleveland banks. Hulbert, of the National Bank of Elyria.

He Paid the Price. HAVANA, February 21 .- Planter Modesto Ruiz, who was captured by bandits in the Remedios district, has been released on the payment of a ransom of \$30,000.

Hugus & Hacke Will offer this week elegant novelties in new spring dress goods.
Side bands for the new directoire and empire gowus in camel's hair, serges, cassimeres and fonles. Exclusive and handsome French combin-

ation robes, entirely new effects, imported much worse yesterday that he could not at-An unequaled assortment of plains, plaids, cheeks, large and small stripes in tend the hearing of M. Nolan and James Donnelly, who are charged with assaulting him. Magistrate Brush held the prisoners all the new spring colorings, light, medium and dark gray, beige, porcelain blue and reseda at 50c per yard.

The cheice styles we show at 18c per yard equal in appearance those of very

much higher price. Special attention is invited to our line of black and white fabrics which we show in OH, YES-Ladies' bucle lerseys, 50e: all the new and novel effects produced this An elegant assortment of all wool French challis light and dark colorings 50c per d. HUGUS & HACKE, Cor. Fifth avenue and Market street.

A REALISTIC DRAMA.

ery of Ice Portrayed. The drama may be called "The Slippery Day;" the first act may be placed on Fifth avenue; the time recently, and the char-

their way east to their respective cities. acters one man, one woman and a treacher-He, the here, was a man with whom nature in her most generous mood had dealt kindly. His face and figure were the envy of the promenaders of the masculine type, and he was the delight and admiration of the ladies, so he thought. Clad in garments of the latest style, carrying a cane of huge proportions, and fresh from a tonsorial artist's chair, but little wonder he moved

She was one of those delightful little creatures, with a wealth of sunny hair and a face charming in appearance, but now made more so by the half-frightened look The party started out a few days ago to go to New Orleans on their annual jaunt, but got as far as Birmingham, Ala, when they were called home. Some of them were wanted to testify in a suit to come up in Philawhich now and then swept across it. She delphia to-day, and the trip had to be postwas clad in sealskin, and, with a hat of the latest Parisian design, she attracted every-body's admiring attention. A woman of

sympathy, of modesty and of beauty.

They meet. He has found what he thinks is a safe resting place for his feet. Now he is secure and can proceed to make an im-pression on the fair maid. He gazes upon her and throws all his charms into that one treat successfully dyspepsia or any nervous and chronic disease, hygienic, hydropathic and dietetic means are of the first impor-tance. The mode of life itself must be made to contribute its quota. Medicines are of value only so far as they assist nature—further than this they are of at least doubtful virtue. Those who depend wholly on drugs are sure to fail even in the simplest form of dyspepsia. Nature cannot be forced. and adaptation of means as regards diet, and mad. As he once more endeavors to be-come what he was, he walks away debating drink, exercise and hydropathic appliances. Dr. S. G. Moore, 34 Arch street, Allegheny,

Dr. S. G. Moore, 34 Arch st., Allegheny, Pa. DEAR SIR-It affords me great pleasure n saying that I have derived more benefit rom your treatment than all others combined. I was a great sufferer from dyspep-sia, resulting in complete insomnia. I tried all specifics I could hear of, took treatment from several eminent physicians, but re-ceived only temporary benefit. I was at first persuaded to try your treatment, and I am gratified to state that now I can enjoy a good night's rest and eat three meals a day. township, Ohio, yesterday visited North Lima and drank a quantity of hard cider, causing his death an hour later. I have gained in flesh and feel like a new man. Would advise any person suffering from chronic indigestion or affection of the liver to give your treatment a thorough trial. You are at liberty to refer any inquirer to ne. Yours thankfully, J. H. CHATHAM. Those interested, and desirous of verifyin

the above, can find this gentleman at 130 Ohio st., Allegheny, Pa. Dyspepsia of Stomach and Bowels Cared.

from Cleveland caused a sensation in Youngs-town a few years ago, while residing there. A young bachelor minister was mixed up in the affair. THE Republican Central Committee, of Columbiana County, Ohlo, held a meeting last evening at the Court House in New Lisbon, and agreed to hold the primary elections on Saturday, May 4. There will be a lively fight for the nomination for Treasurer. THE miners' committee sent from Scranton to present the powder reduction question to the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western directors, returned home to-day with instructions to wait on General Sales Agent Storrs, to whom the matter was referred. They will meet Mr. Storrs next week at his office here. The agita-tion affects 40,000 miners in the Wyoming and Lackawanna coal fields, and if granted, will increase their wages at least \$700,000 a year. MR. W. J. WALKER, who was reported to to be hanged in Denver, Col., has returned to his cured me.

> N. B.-Can cases be treated by letter? The following case was treated wholly by letter. Send for question sheet: Dyspepsia and Heart Trouble.

CONSIDERABLE excitement prevails at Larobe and at Bradenville over the killing of John Shannon, who was reported to have committed suicide on Saturday night last. It was given out that the man had committed suicide through fear of the White Caps, who, it was said, had sent him several threatening letters. Suspicions have within the past two or three days been aroused in the minds of the people own there that Shannon was foully murdered. No arrests of the suspected parties have yet WILLIAM KECK, of Lapry's station, was released from jail two months ago, after serving a term for attempting to kill at Siegfried Yesterday morning he attempted to

tion Reck threw miniseri on the track. Sev-eral ladies who were at the station and saw the attempted suicide screamed and two fainted. Keck's hands were lacerated in a frightful manner by being dragged over the rough stone and his head out by the engine's blow.

. Just as the train steamed into the sta-

Stempton. After a desperate struggle and

LOCAL ITEMS, LIMITED. Incidents of a Day in Two Cities Condensed for Rendy Rending. THE regular meeting of the Teachers' Academy will be held in the Grant school to-morrow

ALDERMAN HARTMAN will fire a salute of

42 guns on the hill above Pine street this morn-

Six oleo' sellers waived a hearing yesterday before Alderman Carlisle, and the cases will all 'SQUIRE HOLTZMAN sent Joe Broder to init to-day, charged with threatening to shoot Frank Tanner. Some boys stole ten pairs of gloves that were

hanging in front of M. Black's store on Ohio street, Allegheny, last evening. THE sale of the debris from the Wood stree disaster was postponed yesterday, and it will probably be held this morning. JAMES J. McTighe wants it to be distinctly understood that he is not working for prohibi tion, as was stated in the papers yesterday. THE Jr. O. U. A. M. No. 75, of Allegheny, held a reception in the Central Rink, Pitts-burg, last night. They had music, dancing

ing a new style of coke oven near Mansfield. They claim that it will save a great deal of THE persons arrested in the First ward on Tuesday were to have a hearing before Magistrate Gripp yesterday, but the case was post-poned until to-nay. THE Sewickley postoffice was burned to the ground yesterday. It caught from a natural gas fire. The loss was very small and the

THE Adams Coke Bottom Company is test

ASSEMBLY No. 2126, K. of L. did not hold a meeting last night as announced, Master Work-man Vincent stating that he had made no call for any, or had such action in view. THE Pattern Makers' Protective and Beneficial Association will give an entertainment in the Turner Hall next Tuesday evening. "The Argonauts of '49" will be presented by ama-

executors of the estate of Gilmore C. Fink, of Washington, Pa., is in the city. The estate will be divided, and the widow and son will receive their shares in money. The Victim Worse. Michael Cavanaugh, of Lawrenceville, who was stabbed Saturday night, was so

CHARLES JOHNSON, of Foxburg, one of the

for a further hearing. BARRY'S TRICOPHEROUS stimulates, fastens, thickens, preserves; in every way im-proves the hair.

calico wrappers, 50c; cashmere wrappers, \$2 50 up; striped newmarkets, \$2, were \$7; packets, \$1 to \$5; girls' winter dresses, 50c to \$5; Gretchen coais, \$2 up; blankets, 50c; comforts, 39c to \$1; cold weather underwear and infants' goods at cut prices. Busy Bee Hive, corner Sixth and Liberty. DIVISION FREIGHT AGENTS.

The Wickedness of Woman and the Treach- Their Annual Jaunt Broken Up Before It is Half Over.
The division freight agents of the Pennsylvania Railroad passed through the city last night in the special car "Pickwick" on

Among the party were Charles A. Chip-ley, of this city; E. W. Coffin, of Camden, N. J.; E. G. Dixon, of Philadelphia; W. J. Rose, of Harrisburg; J. G. Searles, of Balti-more; George Stevens, of Philadelphia; John C. Simms, Secretary of the company at Philadelphia; H. E. Whittaker, agent of the Southern Dispatch at Philadelphia; John G. Thayer, freight solicitor of the same company, and John G. Whittaker, Assist-ant General Freight Agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad at the Quaker City.

Of all chronic diseases probably none so completely buffle the skill of the general practitioner as that of dyspepsia; yet none are so completely and permanently curable. Probably 20 per cent of the adult population suffer from this and allied diseases. To There can be only one result from such treatment: a thoroughly disappointed and discouraged patient. There are no routine methods. Each case requires careful study Pa., for 14 years has given his entire time to nervous and chronic diseases.

Dr. S. G. Moore, 34 Arch st., Allegheny, Pa.: DEAR SIR-For 17 years before consulting you I had been a great sufferer from dyspepsia, head heavy, dull aching and dizziness I never knew what it was to feel rested; numb, tingling sensations extending to the hands and feet, dull, aching pain in stomach; water brash; most distressing collections of gas in the stomach and bowels, causing pain, cramps, numbness and a sen-sation as though there was no feeling in the bowels. Catarrhal condition of bowels and no appetite. Add to this a gloomy state of mind produced by constant suffering, and a feeling, as I told Dr. Moore, as though I would like to commit suicide, and you have a perfect picture as to how I suffered for al-most two decades. I feel like a new man to-day, and would urge sufferers from chronic diseases to call on this specialist who has

EMSWORTH, PA., December 1, 1888.

BARNHART'S MILLS, PA, June 18, 1878. Dr. S. G. Moore: DEAR DOCTOR-I was troubled over two years with dyspepsia, complicated with some disease of the heart. My heart would palpitate violently, and frequently stop or miss a beat. I could not eat, sleep or do anything. I had lost over 20 pounds in weight, and was troubled with shortness of breath and pain and soreness in my stom-ach, and dreadful fullness and oppression, and belched up great quantities of wind. had been treated by seven or eight doctor without any benefit. I was under your treatment seven months, and it proved the means of restoring me to good health.

I would urge any one suffering as I was to save time and money by consul GEORGE M. GLASS.

have gained several pounds more than I had lost, and look and feel like a new man.

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